MAN WHO WINDS THE CITY'S CLOCKS.

With Ladder and Key He Quietly Goes His /Rounds in Brooklyn.

For Fifteen Years He Has Kept the Municipal Timepieces in Working Order.

RECEIVES \$150 FOR THIS WORK.

Office Seekers Never Bother This Patient Man-He Is Very Fond of Clocks.

treef, and his charges never run down.

name suggested has been rejected, however and to-day be is simply known as "the man Since the Signing of the Greater New York girl sped on without stopping to thank her

Mr. Linden lives in Rockville Centre, L. I. ife is a jeweller and clock maker. He de-

Linden is a man of middle age, and fond of clocks. Each has its pe-s, he says, and these are always

CORMICK'S LAST LETTER. ngineer Who Committed Suicide Left retary.

a Sad Missive. Engineer Peter McCormick, who killed FISH THAT EAT GRASS. found yesterday in his room. It

EAT FOR EVERY PASSENGER w the Board of Trade Would Preven

Trolley Accidents in Brooklyn. The South Brooklyn Board of Trade disissed the subject of trolley accidents, and te overcrowding of cars at its meeting in Prospect Hall yesterday. The outcome was the adoption of the following resolu-

Boys Still Act as Switchmen.

geants in Command of Sub Police Stations.

Police Commissioner Welles Intends to are candidates for them. They are in the Twenty-third Precinct (Flatbush), and the Twenty-fourth (Coney Island). Captain Henry French, of the former, recently re-tired, and Captain Clayton, of the Coney

Acting-Captain David Lawson will, it is sald, secure one of the vacant commands. Sergeant Velsor, of the Seventeenth Sub-Precinct; Sergeant Lees, of the Twenty fourth Sub-Precinct; Sergeant Burford, of the Twenty-fifth Sub-Precinct, and Ser- DELIGHTED THE BAREFOOTED BOY. WAS A DELEGATE AT SARATOGA. gennt J. H. Zimmermann, of the Twenty-As the Position Is Not a Remunerative One third Precinct, are candidates. The men named are in temporary command of their respective precincts, and are therefore eligible to promotion without undergoing a

ivil service examination. When everything is quiet in Mayor Wurs-Civil Service rules in the matter of cap-

and key. He is regularly employed by the city to regulate and mind the clocks in the various municipal departments. There are nearly one hundred of these, and the man who cares for them ail has a good deal of work to do. The Board of Aldermen every car appropriates \$150 to pay for the serve.

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Mr. Linden has been winding the city's appointing a captain. There are more potime pieces for fifteen years. The place has leemen in Sheepshead Bay, according to a growl of displeasure started for her. The no charms for bone hunters, and that is probably the reason he has kept it so long. Another is that he is as punctual as Time larger was officered by about ten men, who is the probably the reason has proportionally, and his charges never van down. Several times it has been sought to find

an official title for Mr. Linden. Every CREATED A LAND BOOM.

Bill Brooklyn Real Estate Has Gone Up.

votes two days every week to the city's One of the results of the Consolidation of golf stockings, more lost their tempers but no one was seriously hurt, and Ragsy Building and Court House. On Friday he the newly annexed sections of Brooklyn. enjoyed himself immensely. So did the

the newly annexed sections of Brooklyn.

In the old days, when an unsightly tower stood on top of the City Hail, he had considerable trouble with the big clock. It had a tantalizing way of disagreeing with the standard authorities on time, even gother so far as to show disressect for "Old elf. For this reason it had to be requently, and as it was necesal windlass in winding it the for it was not an easy one those days made an extra anowance for the work of winding the big clock.

The newly annexed sections of Brooklyn is bare-footed urchins of Henry street. On the following day Ragsy resumed the sport, and a man was slightly bitten in the leg. It did not seem to worry him much, for after giving the dog a vigorous kick in the ribs he went on.

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On Wednesday evening a young man wheeled down toward the Bridge. He had

York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, and were celebrating the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne.

The organizations assembled at Court and on the The carries at noon. The markets at noon markets are carried to the Front Court and Court

himself at No. 200 Glenmore avenue, Brook-lyn, Friday night, left a lefter, which his Man Who Saw What He

Man who saw what he place of memory in his room. It cade as follows:

"My last request is to cremate in Fresh Pond. I do this with a clear head and caula. I aim disgusted with life and wonta. If she had come downstairs that last alpute I would have forgiven her. Given a kind regards to W. F. Goundy, general ananger of the Kings County Elevated tallroad, and to W. H. Ferguson. I was in there six years and made one mistake and got discharged on the spot. I have lost him and everything. I hope if this catches cour eye, Goundy, you wont use other poor devils as you did me."

McCormick was in charge of an engine winch ran over and killed Frederick B. Lask at Veta avenue. The accident worded and the water is only three inches and manned that he became assume. He was sent to the Flatbush Asyum a month ago, but was discharged as lared in a few days.

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Mere's a true fish story from the Northwest of the soft in plain English. Its officers bear no fanciful titles.

It has attempted to establish no nomen-cleature of its own. It has aspired after no peculiar terminology. But as it has grown large and stronger, certain words which were not in the dictionary before, or which, if in the dictionary before, or which, is grass and grubbing up the roots. As the water overflows his meadows the carp follow it up in thousands, the small ones, weighing about three pounds, pushing their way up where the water is only three inches and the decimal of the dictionary has recognized this fact, and has included some of these distinctively Christian Endeavor, "Endeavor," "Endeavor," "Endeavor, "Endeavor," "Endeavor, "Endeavor, "Endeavor, "Endeavor, "Endea

He says that while looking at the fish eating his grass on Sundays he got so mad that he took off his shoes and stockings and went out into the shallow water and attacked them with a hoe. He slashed a lot He says that while looking at the fish eatthat he took off his shoes and stockings and went out into the shallow water and attacked them with a hoe. He slashed a lot of them in two, but when the drove became alarmed and made for deep water they bumped their nesses against his shins and came near knocking him off his feet, and his ankles are all black and blue from the thumping he got. As for driving the carp away, he says he might as well have tried to sweep back the rise of the Columbla with a broom.

He wants to know if Uncle Sam can't do something to prevent the stocking of the waters thereabouts with these voraclous pests.

Alemoers.

Endeavorer—One who endeavors or strives to do something; specifically, a member of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

Lookout Committee—A committee in the Society of Christian Endeavor, the them to the work, etc.

Interdenominational—Existing or occurring between religious denominations.

PAPIER MACHE ROOSTER. UNL It Crows Loud and Long and Is In

dorsed by the Republicans.

A papler mache robster is an invention which is to be largely utilized by the Re- own ter publicans during the Presidential campaign.

It has a flerce-looking head, liberally be-Nassau still continues to employ boys daubed with red and yellow paint. The for yourself. awitch fenders all over its system. The daming comb seems almost too hot to touch, dilans were formerly filled by men, who while the eye fairly scintillates defiance. while the eye fairly scintillates definice. The neck is grasped in one hand, while the

having the work done in an indifferent annuer for a little more than one-half that mount.

Pickpockets in Trolley Cars.

Brooklyn is infested with New York pleks ockets. They travel on open trolley cars and are doing a land office business, judging from the number of complaints it is said McKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already placed a large order, and that soon the hills and valleys and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have already and streets will remain the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the soon that the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's managers have all the number of complaints it is said mcKiniey's

WELLES MAKES CAPTAINS. Evades Civil Service Rules by Placing Ser-BITING BIGYCLISTS.

make several promotions soon. There are two vacant captaincies, and a score of men Big Black Dog Had a Week Professor John Greene Likely to of Rare Sport in Henry Street, Brooklyn.

> as They Rode to and from the Bridge Terminal.

man, Who Ended Poor Ragsy's Life with a Bullet-Buried in the Night.

soon she was speeding like the wind up Henry street, Rogsy in full cry behind her

The fest of that evening Ragsy spent in chasing bicyclists. Several men lost piece

there is a change in the political known of an administration the "clock" sometimes has trouble with new who do not know him. ct. Attorney Backus, for instance, at familiarized himself with his when, one afternoon, Mr. Linden had and, without saying a word, proto wind the clocks. Mr. Backus in him. Finally, his work having formed, the man of the ladder and id a piece of paper down upon strict-Attorney's desk. Mr. Backus and found that it was a certificate be and found that it was a certificate be included in the principal streets of the Western District-Attorney's desk. Mr. Backus and found that it was a certificate be included in the principal streets of the Western District-Attorney's desk. Mr. Backus and found that it was a certificate be included in the principal streets of the Orange lodges of New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, and were

express office whose dog Ragsy was, and learned that no one knew the name of his proprietor. Then he approached Ragsy, who, all in ignorance of the fate in store for him, was waiting the approach of another bicyclist at the curb. The policeman quietly drew his revolver and shot Ragsy through the head. Yesterday the small boys of the neighborhood were sorrowful. Ragsy had been buried in the night, and none would tell where was his lonely grave.

NEW WORDS.

How the Language Has Been Enriched by the Christian Endeavor Movement.

The Christian Endeavor movement has at all times avoided any tendency to mysti

MAY GIVE CONGRESS

Be Nominated by the Democrats in Brooklyn.

and President of the Academy of Political Science.

Platform Prepared by Senator Hill and Mr. Whitney-Congressman Fisher Will Be His Opponent.

for the big clock that ticks away above the plaster model of the Memorial Arch. The plaster model of the Memorial Arch. The clock ceases to tick, there is a nervenatering creak as he turns the key, and the three clock ticks on again. The quier person takes his ladder and leaves the room takes his ladder and leaves the room as noiselessly as he entered. The Mayor's for seven days more.

F. V. Linden is the man with the ladder and key. He is regularly employed by the clock in the clocks in the plaster model of the Memorial Arch. The because of this must be captained in the capture of columns and the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the American Association for the Advancement of Committee and the American Association for the Advancement of Committee and t

stirring speaker of rare eloquence and if he should get the Democratic nomination, as now seems probable, there will be a

FINANCIAL POINTS. Ordinarily the district is Democratic, but it was carried by Fischer in the politi-Ordinarily the district is Democratic, cal hadslide two years ago, and the Rehim, because of the defection in the Republican ranks. They think that with Willis and Worth fighting each other, Fitchie throwing mud at both of them and Island command, was raised to the rank of Chased Wheelmen and Wheelwomen He Is a Former College Instructor harmony, peaceful party men may get tired of the fight and turn to Greene, because of the fact that he is not known as a politi-

Mr. Greene has had experience in poll ties, however, and he understands some of the tricks, as is shown by the fact that at the Saratoga Convention he was the One of His Victims Complained to a Police- Made a Telling Speech in Opposition to the only delegate to oppose the financial plank Police Catch Him About Six Times a Week prepared by Senator Hill and Mr. Whitney. He dld so on the ground that bimetallism should not be urged under any condition, and he made his points so telling that both A Brooklynite who has made fiance a Hill and Whitney complimented him. In ter's office, in Brooklyn, on Friday afterbon, there enters very quietly a man with
a small ladder and a big key. He places
the indier against the mantel and reaches
for the big clock that ticks away above
the plaster model of the Memorial Area.

Sergeant Zimmerman has not men who are the capture men who are the ca

Broadway, Graham and Flushing Avenues, Brooklyn.

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Mrs. Topp, Whom She Accuses, identified at Her Bedside.

Mrs. Elizabeth George Fredericks, of No. 2148 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, the young woman who submitted to an operation, is in a critical condition, but it is believed she may recover.

than eighteen. We have him under arr est about six times a week. He is the straighthaired, thin-jawed, wild-eyed idiot, with his backed hump like a mad tom cat's tail. who tears down the path with no regord for the safety of others. He is nearly al-ways long in the legs and thin. Somethy publicans are counting on a similar land-silde this Fall. The friends of Mr. Greene think, however, that there is a chance for

twenty-five we have no pity for him. "Of course I do not mean the uncon-scious scorcher. The rate prescribed by law is twelve miles an hour. When you consider that a bicycle fairly well geared will go twenty feet at each revolution of the pedals, you can see that that is pretty slow. It is only when you try to keep pace with a bicycle which is moving at an ordinary rate, with a fair trotting wheelman is making.

"When a policeman sees a man hurrying along the path at a rate too rapid he tells him to stop. As a general thing they do as requested, although many of them doubtless have an idea that they are not exceeding the lawful rate, and that "No," said Captain McNamara, of the the policeman is merely over officious."

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